

*Amendment introduced by Rep. McNerney is based on legislation authored by Reps. George Miller*

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Washington, D.C. – Yesterday in the House Committee on Energy and Commerce, Congressman Jerry

The amendment, adopted by the Committee, will promote water efficiency and consequently reduce ene

“There’s an important link between our country’s use of water and consumption of energy,” said Rep. Mc

"WaterSense lets consumers make smarter decisions about their water and energy use," said Rep. Mille

“Water efficiency saves energy by reducing the amount of energy used to heat, transport, and clean wat

The amendment also provides for grants to states, local governments and other entities to offer financial

Nationwide, 14 percent of electricity is used for treating, delivering, and heating water. In California, one